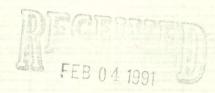


BARRICK RESOURCES (USA), INC.

January 30, 1991



Mr. Lowell P. Braxton
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State of Utah Department of Natural Resources
Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining
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Salt Lake City, UT 84180-1203

Dear Mr. Braxton:

Subject: Request for Extension of Submittal Form MR-AR

Due to the time involved in producing the 1990 disturbance maps and updated surface maps, Barrick is requesting an extension of submittal of Form MR-AR, Annual Report of Mining Operations, until March 31, 1991. We feel this extension will allow us adequate time to prepare a complete Annual Report.

Please contact me at extension 335 should you have any questions or concerns.

As always, your cooperation is appreciated.

Respectfully,

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